

7. On Some Representation Theorems in an Operator Algebra. III.

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When we discuss group algebras on a locally compact group, the notion of C*-algebra is very useful. But some group algebras are not always C*-algebra. Hence we shall introduce a notion of normed algebra including C*- and group algebras.

5. A normed*-algebra \mathfrak{A} with the norm $\|\cdot\|$ over the complex number field is called with *D*-algebra* if \mathfrak{A} has an approximate identity $\{e_\alpha\}$ (cf. Segal [1]) which is a directed set such as $\|e_\alpha\| \leq 1$ and $\|e_\alpha x - x\| \rightarrow 0$ for any $x \in \mathfrak{A}$. Clearly C*- and L¹-group algebras are D*-algebras. $f(\cdot)$ is said to be *semi-trace* of \mathfrak{A} if it is a linear functional (not always bounded) defined on a dense subalgebra generated by $\{xy; x, y \in \mathfrak{A}\}$ such that $f(xy) = f(yx)$, $f(x^*) = \overline{f(x)}$, $f(x^*x) \geq 0$ and $f((xy)^*xy) \leq \|x\|^2 f(y^*y)$. A semi-trace is *pure*, if it is not a linear combination of two linearly independent semi-traces of \mathfrak{A} . A representation $\{U_x, \mathfrak{H}\}$ is said to be *proper*, if the element $\xi \in \mathfrak{H}$ satisfying $U_x \xi = 0$ for all $x \in \mathfrak{A}$ is only the zero element O in \mathfrak{H} . Moreover we also define the properness for a two-sided representation $\{U_x, V_x, j, \mathfrak{H}\}$, if the one-sided representation $\{U_x, \mathfrak{H}\}$ or $\{V_x, \mathfrak{H}\}$ is proper. Denote the W*-algebras generated by $\{U_x; x \in \mathfrak{A}\}$ or $\{V_x; x \in \mathfrak{A}\}$ by U or V respectively.

Theorem 5. *Let τ be a semi-trace of a D*-algebra \mathfrak{A} . Then there corresponds a proper two-sided representation $\{U_x, V_x, j, \mathfrak{H}\}$ such that $U=V'$, $U'=V$ and $jAj=A^*$ for $A \in U \cap V$.*

Corollary 5.1. *If the D*-algebra \mathfrak{A} is separable, then the semi-trace is a directed integral of pure semi-traces $\pi(\cdot, \lambda)$, $\lambda \in N$ ($\sigma(\lambda)$ -null set), with respect to a $\sigma(\lambda)$ -measure.*

A two-sided representation $\{U_x, V_x, j, \mathfrak{H}\}$ is *strictly normal*, if there exists $\xi \in \mathfrak{H}$ such that $U_x \xi = V_x \xi$ for all $x \in \mathfrak{A}$ and $\{U_x \xi; x \in \mathfrak{A}\}$ span \mathfrak{H} . Then

Theorem 6. *If a D*-algebra \mathfrak{A} has a strictly normal two-sided representation $\{U_x, V_x, j, \mathfrak{H}\}$, then the normalizing function is trace and conversly. This correspondence is one-to-one without equivalence. The generated W*-algebra U (or V) has a complete trace and both in finite class (in the sense of J. Dixmier [3]).*

6. **Motion in C*- or D*-algebra.** The investigation of a motion in C*-algebra has been introduced by I. E. Segal (cf. [2]) which is

one parameter group of automorphisms on \mathfrak{A} . We shall describe on a motion G of C^* - or D^* -algebra whose parameter is any group with a continuity, i.e., let \mathfrak{A} be a D^* -algebra and G be a group of automorphisms on \mathfrak{A} : for any $s \in G$ $(\alpha x + \beta y)^s = \alpha x^s + \beta y^s$, $x^{*s} = x^{s*}$ and $(xy)^s = x^s y^s$, and G has a topology such as, for each $x \in \mathfrak{A}$ x^s is continuous on G .

A trace or semi-trace τ of \mathfrak{A} is said to be *stationary*, if $\tau(x^s y^s) = \tau(xy)$ for all $x, y \in \mathfrak{A}$ and $s \in G$. A stationary trace or semi-trace is *ergodic*, if it is not a positive linear combination of linearly independent such two other traces or semi-traces respectively.

Theorem 7. *Any stationary trace $\tau(\cdot)$ is represented by a directed integral of ergodic traces $\pi(\cdot, \lambda)$, $\lambda \in N$, with respect to a suitable weight function $\sigma(\lambda)$:*

$$\tau(x) = \int_K \pi(x, \lambda) d\sigma(\lambda) \quad \text{for all } x \in \mathfrak{A}.$$

Finally we shall state that the decomposition of invariant regular measure on a locally compact space with a group of homeomorphisms. Let Ω be a locally compact Hausdorff space and G be a group of homeomorphisms on Ω . C_∞ or C_0 denote the class of all continuous functions on Ω vanishing at infinity or zero outside of compact sets of Ω respectively. For all $x \in C_\infty$ or C_0 , if we put $\|x\| = \sup_{\omega \in \Omega} |x(\omega)|$, then C_∞ or C_0 is C^* - or D^* -algebra. A homeomorphism h on Ω reduces an automorphism on C_∞ or C_0 by $x^h(\omega) = x(h\omega)$ for $x \in C_\infty$ or C_0 and $\omega \in \Omega$, and conversely. Hence G can be considered as a group of automorphisms on C_∞ or C_0 . We can introduce a topology into G for which G is motion of C_∞ or C_0 .

Let $\mu(\cdot)$ be a regular measure on Ω invariant under G . Putting

$$\tau(x) = \int_\Omega x(\omega) d\mu(\omega) \quad \text{for } x \in C_0;$$

$\tau(\cdot)$ is a stationary semi-trace of C_0 . Applying the Corollary 5.1, we have

Theorem 8. *Let Ω be a locally compact Hausdorff space satisfying the second countable axiom with a group G of homeomorphisms on Ω , and $\mu(\cdot)$ be a regular measure of Ω invariant under G . Then there exists a system of ergodic measures $\mu(\cdot, \lambda)$ of Ω , $\lambda \in N(\sigma(\lambda)$ -null set), such that for all $x \in C_0$*

$$(1) \quad \int_\Omega x(\omega) d\mu(\omega) = \int_K \int_\Omega x(\omega) d\mu(\lambda, \omega) d\sigma(\lambda)$$

and for all compact sets K in Ω

$$(2) \quad \mu(K) = \int_K \mu(K, \lambda) d\sigma(\lambda)$$

where $\sigma(\lambda)$ is a suitable weight function.

The proofs of all theorems in this paper will appear elsewhere.

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Appendix for the definition of semi-trace $\tau(x)$ in §5: there exists a sequence $\{e_{an}\}$ ($\subset \{e_a\}$) dependently on $x \in \mathfrak{A}$ such that $\tau(e_{an}^* x^* x e_{an}) \rightarrow \tau(x^* x)$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$.